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In response to the Final Office Action mailed <u>May 17, 05</u>, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from August 17, 2005 to September 17, 2005 (Saturday).